

## SENATOR DAVIS

## BECOMES THE VICE-PRESIDENT.

The Delaware Senator's Honor of Short Duration—Action of the Senate Yesterday—The Committee to be Continued as Now Constituted—Other Matters.

The Senate galleries were pretty well filled yesterday, in anticipation of some excitement over another election for President and Vice-President. There were comparatively few Senators present when the President-elect was elected, but during the delivery of the prayer Senator Davis, of Illinois, entered at the main door on the south side of the Chamber. He took his stand just back of the speaker, and calmly surveyed the Senate, as if in search of a sign of a coming storm involving higher honor for himself. Secretary Kirkwood and Attorney-General McVay, made no sign, but were seated in the front row, and were cordially greeted by the Senators.

The Senators were all in their seats before the reading of the journal was concluded. Mr. Lamar offered a resolution requesting the President to advise the Senate whether any action had been taken by the Government since the last session of the Senate toward protecting the rights and interests of the United States in the project of an international canal at Panama. Laid on the table for future action.

Mr. Edmunds called up his resolution continuing the standing committees of the Senate as they were constituted at the last session. The committee on Foreign Relations, Finance, Commerce, Military Affairs, Judiciary, Post-Offices and Post-Roads, Public Lands, Penitentiaries and Indian Affairs. In submitting this amendment Mr. Garland indicated that the Democrats have no purpose of making a contest for the committees. He contended that the committees named were the only ones which would have any work to do during the special session.

Mr. Edmunds proposed the amendment. There were no dissenters. The President-elect was not present, in his opinion, would be necessary in order to perform the work of the session. He instructed the Committee on Privileges and Elections as to which should be organized. There was no dissent. A new petition presented by the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. McKim) said to seriously affect the right of a Senator from New York to a seat in this body. That ought to be inquired into. When there was a contest in Illinois, which might have work to do. It was known from public report that there had been an important offer suspended for some supposed failure to perform duty, and by law that would be a disqualification, which should be reported to the Senate. The Committee on Privileges and Elections was also a necessary committee.

Mr. Garland stated that he would modify his amendment so as to continue the Committee on Privileges and Elections and Contingent Expenses. He thought that it would then include all the committees which it was necessary to organize at this time.

Mr. Garland's amendment was rejected—yeas 35, nays 57—Davis, of Illinois, and Mahone voted with the Republicans.

Mr. Edmunds' resolution was adopted—yeas 57, nays 35.

The standing committees are therefore continued as constituted at the last session, and the President is empowered to authorize to fill any vacancies which may exist.

As soon as the result was announced Mr. Logan rose and offered a resolution for the election of David Davis, a Senator from Illinois, as President pro tempore of the Senate.

Mr. Pendleton asked that the resolution lie over one day under the rules, and it was ordered.

The Senate then (at 12:40) went into executive session.

Mr. Davis ELECTED PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE. When the doors were reopened, at one o'clock, the chair was occupied by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee. He called the Senate to order.

Mr. Pendleton then rose and said: "When the Senator from Illinois (Mr. Logan) offered his resolution for the election of a President pro tempore, I objected to its immediate consideration. Since then, upon reflection and consultation with Senators on this side of the chamber, I have concluded to withdraw my objection to its immediate consideration."

The presiding officer (Mr. Harris) stated that, there being no further objection, the resolution was passed by the Senate.

Senator Jones, of Florida, maintained that the Senate, having filled the chair, had no power to now choose another presiding officer. He said that the speaker of Parliament is chosen for a term, and he insisted that the Senate should not legally choose. He read from a speech of the late William H. Seward, who held that when the chair was filled another presiding officer could not be chosen until the expiration of the term.

The yeas and nays were called. When Mr. Davis' name was called he would withhold his vote; that he had never obtained office by his vote and he was not willing to do so by his vote. When Mr. Davis' name was called he remained silent. The vote was 36 yeas to 34 nays. Messrs. Bayard and Anthony were appointed to escort Mr. Davis to the chair. He was escorted to his position with a retinue of honor.

On taking the chair Mr. Davis said: "Sensors: The honor just conferred comes, as the President-elect has said, as a great honor, and I expect on my part. If I carried any party interest, I should be proud to carry it. I am a free man, and I do not accept it as a trustee to any person, but rather as a recognition of the confidence of the country. I am profoundly grateful for the trust with which you have placed in me the duties of this office. I shall endeavor to discharge them with the same fidelity and devotion which I have shown in the discharge of my duties as a Senator."

Mr. Edmunds—I think it not only a duty, but a pleasure, to move that the thanks of the Senate be expressed to the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard for the dignity and impartiality with which he has presided over this body during the short period that he has done so. Let us associate in a demonstration of our warmest sympathy to the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the retiring President pro tempore.

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## A HEARTY WELCOME

## TO THE SONS OF OUR ALLIES OF 1776.

Arrival of the French Visitors—Descendants of Lafayette, Rochambeau, and de Grasse in the National Capital—Their Reception at the Depot—Full Details.

District Commissioner Morgan, accompanied by Lieutenants Hoxie and Greene, the two latter respondents in gorgeous uniform, left by the ten o'clock train yesterday morning, to meet the French guests at Baltimore. Descendants of Lafayette and other illustrious soldiers who participated in the glorious struggle for freedom. General Sturges, commander of the Soldiers' Home, G. F. Jackson, of the Pension Office, and J. H. Davis, of the citizens' reception committee, followed on the twelve o'clock train. The distinguished strangers were met at the Mount Vernon Hotel by a delegation of citizens, and, after the customary handshaking had been gone through, left Baltimore on the limited express. Before leaving Admiral Halligan delivered a farewell address from the steps of the car. He complimented the country at large and the city of Baltimore in particular for the cordial hospitality and kindness shown himself and countrymen, and assured his hearers that he should never forget the hospitality of the citizens of Baltimore.

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## GARFIELD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

## Meeting of the Executive Committee—Resolutions Adopted—Appeal for Aid.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Garfield Memorial Hospital was held in the parlors of the Edinboro Hotel, last night. There were present, General W. T. Sherman, Mr. John A. Baker, James G. Thompson, Dr. R. C. Buey, A. R. Solomon, Dr. G. C. Palmer, Richard Fendall, Dr. F. A. Ashford, J. L. Davis, Dr. J. M. Toner, H. W. Garrison, H. S. Smith, H. A. Williams, J. H. Thompson, and Dr. Smith Townsend. Mr. Davis, from the committee appointed for the purpose, reported the following:

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